

DISLEY RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

INTERIM ANNUAL REPORT of the Medical Officer of Health

for the Year ended 31st December, 1943.

Temporary Medical Officer of Health

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To the Chairman and Members of the Disley Rural District Council.
Mr. Chairman, Mrs. Brayshaw and Gentlemen.

I have pleasure in submitting the Interim Annual Report for 1943.

1. (a) General Statistics.

Area of District (in acres)	2118.
Number of inhabited houses.	969.
Rateable Value.	£24,692.
Estimated product of a penny rate.	£96.

(b) Vital Statistics.

Births.

	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
Live Births.			
Legitimate.	12.	9.	21.
Still Births.	-.	-.	-.

Birth Rate per 1,000 estimated Resident Population 6.9.

(c) Deaths.

	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
(1) All Causes.	18.	16.	34.
(2) Puerperal Sepsis.	-.	-.	-.
(3) Infants under one year.	2.	-.	2.

(d)	<u>Causes of Death.</u>	<u>Male.</u>	<u>Female.</u>	<u>Total.</u>
	Bronchitis.	1.	2.	3.
	Cancer.	2.	-.	2.
	Senility.	3.	1.	4.
	Heart Disease.	4.	3.	7.
	Cholecystitis.	-.	1.	1.
	Cerebral Thrombosis.	2.	2.	4.
	Sarcoma.	1.	-.	1.
	Leukaemia.	-.	1.	1.
	Pleurisy.	1.	-.	1.
	Apoplexy.	1.	1.	2.
	Menigitis.	-.	1.	1.
	Influenza.	-.	1.	1.
	Kidney Disease.	-.	1.	1.
	All other causes.	3.	2.	5.
	Infantile Deaths.	2.	-.	2.
	Totals.	20.	16.	36.

Death Rate per 1,000 estimated Population = 11.91.

Death Rate (infants) per 1,000 Live Births = 59.00.

2. (a) Infectious Diseases.

<u>Disease.</u>	<u>No. of Cases Notified.</u>	<u>No. Removed to Hospital.</u>	<u>Deaths.</u>
Measles.	67.	-.	-.
Scarlet Fever.	7.	6.	-.
Erysipelas.	2.	-.	-.
Diphtheria.	1.	1.	-.
Pneumonia.	1.	-.	-.
Whooping Cough.	5.	-.	-.
Totals.	83.	7.	-.

1. The first part of the report deals with the general situation of the country and the progress of the work during the year. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the general situation of the country and the progress of the work during the year, and the second section deals with the specific results of the work.

2. The second part of the report deals with the specific results of the work. It is divided into three main sections: the first section deals with the results of the work in the field of agriculture, the second section deals with the results of the work in the field of industry, and the third section deals with the results of the work in the field of commerce.

3. The third part of the report deals with the financial results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the income of the organization, and the second section deals with the expenditure of the organization.

4. The fourth part of the report deals with the administrative results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the organization of the work, and the second section deals with the personnel of the organization.

5. The fifth part of the report deals with the social results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the social work of the organization, and the second section deals with the social work of the personnel of the organization.

6. The sixth part of the report deals with the cultural results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the cultural work of the organization, and the second section deals with the cultural work of the personnel of the organization.

7. The seventh part of the report deals with the educational results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the educational work of the organization, and the second section deals with the educational work of the personnel of the organization.

8. The eighth part of the report deals with the health results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the health work of the organization, and the second section deals with the health work of the personnel of the organization.

9. The ninth part of the report deals with the sports results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the sports work of the organization, and the second section deals with the sports work of the personnel of the organization.

10. The tenth part of the report deals with the other results of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the other work of the organization, and the second section deals with the other work of the personnel of the organization.

11. The eleventh part of the report deals with the conclusions of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the conclusions of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the conclusions of the work in the field of industry.

12. The twelfth part of the report deals with the recommendations of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the recommendations of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the recommendations of the work in the field of industry.

13. The thirteenth part of the report deals with the annexes of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the annexes of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the annexes of the work in the field of industry.

14. The fourteenth part of the report deals with the bibliography of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the bibliography of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the bibliography of the work in the field of industry.

15. The fifteenth part of the report deals with the index of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the index of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the index of the work in the field of industry.

16. The sixteenth part of the report deals with the list of figures of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the list of figures of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the list of figures of the work in the field of industry.

17. The seventeenth part of the report deals with the list of tables of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the list of tables of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the list of tables of the work in the field of industry.

18. The eighteenth part of the report deals with the list of maps of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the list of maps of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the list of maps of the work in the field of industry.

19. The nineteenth part of the report deals with the list of photographs of the work. It is divided into two main sections: the first section deals with the list of photographs of the work in the field of agriculture, and the second section deals with the list of photographs of the work in the field of industry.

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Analysis of Notified Cases.

<u>Age Period.</u>	<u>Measles.</u>	<u>Scarlet Fever.</u>	<u>Erysipelas.</u>	<u>Diph- theria.</u>	<u>Pneumonia.</u>	<u>Whooping Cough.</u>
Under one year.	-.	-.	-.	-.	-.	-.
1 - 2 Years.	4.	-.	-.	-.	-.	1.
2 - 3 "	5.	-.	-.	-.	-.	1.
3 - 4 "	6.	1.	-.	-.	-.	-.
4 - 5 "	6.	1.	-.	-.	-.	1.
5 - 10 "	42.	3.	-.	-.	-.	2.
10- 15 "	2.	2.	-.	-.	-.	-.
15- 20 "	1.	-.	-.	-.	-.	-.
20- 35 "	1.	-.	-.	1.	-.	-.
35- 45 "	-.	-.	-.	-.	-.	-.
45- 60 "	-.	-.	1.	-.	1.	-.
Over 60 "	-.	-.	1.	-.	-.	-.
Totals	67.	7.	2.	1.	1.	5.

Diphtheria Immunisation.

The following estimate of child population in Disley at mid 1943 has been supplied by the General Register Office.

Age Group 0 - 4.(inclusive)	191.
Age Group 5 -14.(inclusive)	390.

During 1943, 61 children were immunised:

Age Group 0 - 4.(inclusive)	15.
Age Group 5 -14.(inclusive)	46.

Nine (9) of these immunisations were done by private doctors.

An attempt was made to ascertain the percentage of children who have been immunised in Disley, and the following schools in Disley may be, perhaps an indication as regards those children not included.

Senior Council School.	154.out of 159. = 96%
Junior Council School.	37. " " 47. = 80%
Miss Latham's Schol.	17. " " 18. = 94%
Nursery School.	9. " " 10. = 90%
Mrs. Cardor's School.	6. " " 6. = 100%
Total.	223. out of 240.= 93%

Laboratory Reports.

Four (4) swabs were examined for Diphtheria.

Three (3) specimens were examined for Typhoid.

All proved negative.

Tuberculosis.

One (1) case of non-pulmonary Tuberculosis was notified in 1943.

One case recovered.

Number of cases remaining on the list :-

<u>Sex.</u>	<u>Pulmonary.</u>	<u>Non-Pulmonary.</u>
Male.	5.	2.
Female.	3.	7.
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Total.	8.	9.
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Food Poisoning.

There were no cases of this.

Evacuoes.

Thoso number 34.

Welfare.

I am glad to report that a very high standard obtains with regard to a "general standard of cleanliness and habits and absence of head lice" at the Welfare Clinic.

Nurse Dickson (Nurse in charge at the Centro) tells me that a particularly clean lot of mothers attend with their children and that no cases of infestation with head lice ever occur.

Water.

The water supply comes solely from Stockport, is sufficient in quantity, of excellent quality and constant in supply.

I am, Mr. Chairman, Mrs. Brayshaw and Gentlemen,

Yours respectfully,

E. V. Miller

Medical Officer of Health.

